

the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle B of title III, add the following:

SEC. 318. PARTICIPATION BY DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE IN POLLUTANT BANKING AND WATER QUALITY TRADING PROGRAMS.

(a) **AUTHORITY TO PARTICIPATE.**—The Secretary of a military department, and the Secretary of Defense with respect to matters concerning a Defense Agency, when engaged in an authorized activity that may or will result in the discharge of pollutants, may make payments to a pollutant banking program or water quality trading program approved in accordance with the Water Quality Trading Policy dated January 13, 2003, set forth by the Office of Water of the Environmental Protection Agency, or any successor administrative guidance or regulation.

(b) **TREATMENT OF PAYMENTS.**—Payments made under subsection (a) to a pollutant banking program or water quality trading program may be treated as eligible project costs for military construction.

(c) **DISCHARGE OF POLLUTANTS DEFINED.**—In this section, the term “discharge of pollutants” has the meaning given that term in section 502(12) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1362(12)) (commonly referred to as the “Clean Water Act”).

SA 4051. Mr. CRUZ (for himself and Mr. MARSHALL) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle G of title V, add the following:

SEC. 596. ANNUAL REPORT ON RELIGIOUS EXEMPTIONS.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees a report on the granting of religious exemptions to members of the Armed Forces during the previous fiscal year.

(b) **ELEMENTS.**—The report required under subsection (a) shall include the following information, disaggregated by religion and by military service:

(1) The number of requests for religious exemptions that were received by the Department of Defense.

(2) The number of such requested exemptions that were granted.

(3) The number of such requested exemptions that were denied.

SA 4052. Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. MARSHALL, and Mrs. BLACKBURN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to au-

thorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title VII, insert the following:

SEC. 7. MEDICAL EXEMPTION FOR COVID-19 VACCINE REQUIREMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES WITH NATURAL IMMUNITY.

The Secretary of Defense shall offer to any member of the Armed Forces who has previously contracted COVID-19 and has natural immunity a medical exemption for any requirement that the member receive a vaccine for COVID-19.

SA 4053. Mr. CRUZ submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title XII, insert the following:

SEC. 12. STATUS OF TAIWAN UNDER THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT.

The Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2751 et seq.) is amended—

(1) in section 3(b)(2), by inserting “the Government of Taiwan,” before “or the Government of New Zealand”;

(2) in sections 3(d)(2)(B), 3(d)(3)(A)(i), 3(d)(5), 21(e)(2)(A), 36(b)(1), 36(b)(2), 36(b)(6), 36(c)(2)(A), 36(c)(5), 36(d)(2)(A), 62(c)(1), and 63(a)(2), by inserting “Taiwan,” before “or New Zealand” each place it appears; and

(3) in sections 21(h)(1)(A) and 21(h)(2), by inserting “Taiwan,” before “or Israel” each place it appears.

SA 4054. Mr. CRUZ submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. ADDITIONAL PROHIBITION ON ACQUISITION OF SENSITIVE MATERIALS.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 4871 of title 10, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a), by amending paragraph (1) to read as follows:

“(1) procure any covered material melted or produced in any covered nation or by any covered company, or any end item that contains a covered material manufactured in any covered nation or by any covered company; or”;

(2) in subsection (d)—

(A) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through (3) as paragraphs (2) through (3), respectively; and

(B) by inserting before paragraph (2), as redesignated, the following:

“(1) **COVERED COMPANY.**—The term ‘covered company’ means—

“(A) any company or joint venture registered outside the United States—

“(i) that is partially or fully owned by any state-owned entity from a covered nation; or

“(ii) 10 percent of the ownership of which is by 1 or more private investors from any covered nation;

“(B) any company or joint venture registered inside the United States—

“(i) is partially or fully owned by a state-owned entity from a covered nation; or

“(ii) after the date of the enactment of this Act, has entered into an agreement or a condition with the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States under subsection (1)(3)(A) of section 4565 of title 50, United States Code, that does not specifically refer to this section and provide that the company shall be eligible to supply covered products under this section; or

“(C) any other company that the President determines to be a threat to the security of supply of any covered material.”.

(b) **REGULATIONS.**—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall promulgate such regulations as may be necessary to carry out this section.

SA 4055. Mr. CRUZ submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR STEEL PERFORMANCE INITIATIVE.

(a) **ADDITIONAL FUNDING.**—The amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 2022 by section 201 for research, development, test, and evaluation is hereby increased by \$10,000,000, with the amount of the increase to be available for Defense Wide RDT&E/DLA (PE 0603680S).

(b) **AVAILABILITY.**—The amount available under paragraph (1) shall be available to support the Steel Performance Initiative.

SA 4056. Mr. CRUZ submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle E of title III, add the following:

SEC. 376. IMPROVEMENT OF EXISTING FACILITIES AND SERVICES FOR MILITARY WORKING DOGS.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary of Defense shall improve existing facilities and services for military working dogs.